ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ವೆಂಕಟಪ್ಪ.—ಆಗಲೇ ಹೇಳಿದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಎಫ್. ಪಾಟೀಲ್.—ಅದರಲ್ಲಿ ಚಿಟಗುಪ್ಪಿ ಅವರ ಟೈಪ್‌ರೈಟರೂ ಬಂದಿತ್ತೋ?

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ವೆಂಕಟಪ್ಪ—ಹೌದು, ಅವರ ಹೆಸರೂ ಇದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಎಫ್. ಪಾಟೀಲ್.—ಅದರ ಗುಣ ಅವ ಗುಣಗಳನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಮಾಡಿದ ವರದಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರ ದವರ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ವೆಂಕಟಪ್ಪ.—ಅದನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆ ಮಾಡಿಯೇ ಅನಂತಸುಬ್ಬರಾಯರ ಟೈಪ್‌ರೈಟರನ್ನು ಒಪ್ಪಿಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

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Payment of Medical Bills of the Officials in Police and other Departments in Bellary District.

Q.—397. Sri G. N. PUTTANNA (Tumkur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that they are paying medical bills of the Constables and Daffedars of Police Department in Bellary District;

(*b*) if so, whether they are paying the medical bills of the police staff of old Mysore State transferred to Bellary District;

(*c*) whether they are also paying the medical bills of the officials and officers of other departments in Bellary District;

(*d*) whether there are no Government hospitals in Bellary District;

(*e*) whether they would furnish the total amount of money paid to Government servants of all departments in Bellary District from 1st April 1956 to 31st March 1957 to meet their medical bills?

A.—Sri R. M. PATIL (Minister for Health).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) No.

(*c*) No.

(*d*) There are Government Hospitals in Bellary District.

(*e*) Not avilable at present.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ಎಚ್. ಪುಟ್ಟಣ್ಣ.—397ನೇಯ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ (a)ನಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾರ್ಪೆಸ್ಟೇಬಲ್ಸ್ ಮತ್ತು ದಫೇದಾರರ ಮೆಡಿಕಲ್ ಬಿಲ್ಲನ್ನು ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರ ದವರು ಕೊಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೇ ಎಂದು ಕೇಳಿರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಉತ್ತರ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವವರು ಹೆಲ್ತ್ ಮಿನಿಸ್ಟರು, ಇದು ಸಮಂಜಸವಾಗಿದೆಯೇ ಎಂದು ನನ್ನ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ?

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ಯಾರಾದರೂ ಆಗಬಹುದು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ಎಚ್. ಪುಟ್ಟಣ್ಣ.—ಆ ತರಹ ಅವರು ಹೇಳಿದರೆ ಒಪ್ಪಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ನಾನು ಹೇಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ಎಚ್. ಪುಟ್ಟಣ್ಣ.—ಆಗಬಹುದು. (a) ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗೆ ಉತ್ತರವಾಗಿ 'ಇಲ್ಲ' ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. (e) ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗೆ ಉತ್ತರವಾಗಿ "Not available at present" ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇದು ಒಂದಕ್ಕೆ ಒಂದು ಸಮಂಜಸವಾಗಿಲ್ಲ. ಯಾವುದು ನಿಜ ಎಂದು ಕೇಳುತ್ತೇನೆ?

*Sri R. M. PATIL.—The Hon'ble Member seems to think that there is a little bit of contradiction, but there is none. The point is that in Bellary before it was integrated into Mysore there were certain concessions given to non-gazetted officers, district local board officers and municipal officers. The non-gazetted officers drawing less than Rs. 300 were given certain concessions and whenever they purchased medicines not available in the hospitals, they were reimbursed to the extent of the cost of those medicines. When Bellary was integrated into the erstwhile Mysore State, certain types of officers and their families were treated free of charge in Government Hospitals and Dispensaries. Those concessions are now continued and they will be continued till a common rule is framed. This is the existing state of things. So far as (*e*) is concerned, it covers all the departments in Bellary and so the Medical Department is not in a position to furnish that information. If the Hon'ble Member is satisfied with this answer, it is all right or if he wants to ask further questions, I welcome them.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ಎಚ್. ಪುಟ್ಟಣ್ಣ.—ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಮದರಾಸ್ ಪ್ರಾಂತಕ್ಕೆ ಸೇರಿದ ಕಾರ್ಪೆಸ್ಟೇಬಲ್ಸ್ ಮತ್ತು ದಫೇದಾರರಿಗೆ ಕೊಡುತ್ತ ಇದ್ದ ಕಕ್ಷೆಷ್ಟ ಇಂಟಗ್ರೇಷ್ಟ ಆದ ಮೇಲೆ ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನಕ್ಕೆ ಸೇರಿದ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿಗೆ ಟ್ರಾನ್ಸ್‌ಫರ್ ಆದವರಿಗೂ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೀರಾ?

Sri R. M. PATIL.—I have already replied that the answer is in print.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ಎಚ್. ಪುಟ್ಟಣ್ಣ.—ಅದು ಪ್ರಿಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಇಲ್ಲ ಸ್ವಾಮಿ. ಅದಕ್ಕೇ ಉತ್ತರ ಹೇಳಿ.

Sri R. M. PATIL.—The answer 'No' is there.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ಎಚ್. ಪುಟ್ಟಣ್ಣ.—ಹಳೆಯ ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದಿಂದ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಗೆ ವರ್ಗಾಯಿಸಲ್ಪಡುವ ಪೋಲೀಸು ಕಾರ್ಪೆಸ್ಟೇಬಲ್ಲುಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ದಫೇದಾರರಿಗೂ ಈ ರಿಯಾಯಿತಿಯನ್ನು ತೋರಿಸುತ್ತಿದೆಯೇ?

Sri R. M. PATIL.—They belonged to the old Mysore State. Even if they are posted to Bellary, the rules of concession which were in force in the erstwhile Mysore State are applicable.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ಎಸ್. ಪುಟ್ಟಣ್ಣ —ಈ ರಿಯಾಯಿತಿ ದರವನ್ನು ಪಡೆಯಲು ತಿಂಗಳಿಗೆ 100, 50, 70 ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳಂತೆ ಪ್ರೈವೇಟ್ ಡಾಕ್ಟರುಗಳಿಂದ ಬಿಲ್ಲನ್ನು ತರುತ್ತಿರುವುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೆ ?

Sri R. M. PATIL.—Not yet.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—Supposing we prove it. Will the Government then take action against such people who are trading on Government money?

Sri R. M. PATIL.—That is a hypothetical question. Apart from it, when the enquiries are made and when the Government is satisfied and if it is found under the guise of this, certainly Government has got long arms to take needful action.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—Have any cases of misuse of the privilege been brought to the notice of Government ?

Sri R. M. PATIL.—I have stated, it is not yet known.

Unemployment due to prohibition.

Q.—471 Sri C. M. ARUMUGHAM (Kolar Gold Fields).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether prohibition has resulted in mass unemployment to people engaged in liquor trade;

(*b*) if so, the number of them who were provided with alternative jobs and the number of them still in the waiting list ?

A.—Sri MOHAMED ALI (Minister for Excise and Rural Industries).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Information is not available.

Sri C. M. ARUMUGHAM.—The answer to (b) is: "Information is not available." Am I to presume from that answer that the answer to (a) is 'yes' ?

Are the Government aware that 4,500 persons who are engaged in liquor trade have submitted a memorandum stating that they are without job and seeking Government help for appointment ?

*Sri MOHAMED ALI.—They are well-to-do and they have settled down in other occupations.

Sri V. SRINIVAS SHETTY.—Has it come to the notice of Government that a large number of tappers in South Canara are without employment ?

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—This question does not relate to toddy tapping.

Sri C. K. RAJAIAH SHETTY.—With reference to the answer to (a), have the Government called for any statistics in this behalf ?

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—So far as the people engaged in liquor trade are concerned, it has not come to the notice of Government that they are unemployed.

Sri G. B. SHANKAR RAO.—Did the Government undertake to provide jobs to the people engaged in liquor trade ?

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—No.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಕೆಂಚಪ್ಪ.—ಕುಡಿತ ನಿಲ್ಲಿಸಿರುವ ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಎಷ್ಟು ಜನರಿಗೆ ಕೆಲಸ ಹೋಯಿತೆಂಬುದನ್ನು ವಿಚಾರಿಸಿದ್ದೀರಾ ?

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—The actual information is not available.

Sri K. KENCHAPPA.—The question is specific and relates to dealers in liquor and not to other people.

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—This is about unemployment of people engaged in liquor trade as a result of prohibition; not about tappers. If the Hon'ble Member wants information about tappers, he can put another question.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಕೆಂಚಪ್ಪ.—ತಮ್ಮ ಹತ್ತಿರ ಈ ಸಮಾಚಾರ ಇಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತೀರಾ ಅಥವಾ ವಿಚಾರಿಸಿಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—So far as replies to any specific question are concerned, we get the necessary information and if the Hon'ble Member wants further information not having a direct bearing on the question, he can put another question.

Mr. SPEAKER.—He is asking whether you have made enquiries in this respect.

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—I am unable to say anything more.